

FINANCE, OIL AND GAS

New York

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Development dealing with the financial markets over the week-end and those reported in the course of yesterday's close but confident advance of prices were almost wholly favorable.

Call loans opened at 7 per cent, the month's lowest initial rate, and held at that quotation throughout large sums being available. Time money also relaxed, but was in scant supply at 7 1/2 per cent, the maximum bid.

Foreign exchange inclined to greater steadiness, despite the new elements of uncertainty injected by the Italian situation and reports from Washington regarding the coal conference were viewed with more encouragement.

For the first time in many weeks transactions for the full day fell considerably short of 1,000,000 shares. At no time, however, was there any sign of a recurrence of the previous fortnight's liquidation. On the contrary, representative brokerage and commission houses reported steady accumulation by substantial interests.

Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 25.—On the Pittsburgh stock exchange the trading was largely confined to oil and gas shares, which were fairly active and firm. Arkansas Gas common closed \$3 higher and the preferred was up \$2. Guifey-Gillespie continued in good demand and sold within the range of \$44 and \$5. Over 3,500 shares Pittsburgh Oil and Gas changed hands at 16 1/2 to 16, and Marland Refining sold to the extent of 2,175 at 6 1/2 to 6 3/4. Oklahoma Gas advanced to 4 1/2 and closed at 4 1/2, an advance of 1/4 over Saturday's close. Nearly 1,000 shares Barnsdall were dealt in at 45 to 44 1/2. Union Natural Gas closed \$1 higher at 124.

There were no transactions here in any of the Westinghouse issues and Air Brake was nominal at 11 1/2. Bid. 119 asked. American Window Glass Machine common was 1/2 lower at 125, but other glass stocks were neglected. Mining stocks were more active than for some time past. Mt. Shasta closed 3c higher at 62c and Pittsburgh-Jerome declined from 26c to 22c.

Summary.
Following is an official summary of transactions recorded on the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange Monday, November 24:

STOCKS.			
Sales.	High.	Low.	
20 Am Rolling Mill 52	52	52	
60 A W G Mach. 126	126	126	
120 Arkansas Gas 360	355 1/4	355 1/4	
25 Arkansas G pfd 105	105	105	
995 Barnsdall Corp. 45	44 1/2	44 1/2	
200 Carbo Hydrogen 4	4	4	
42 Carbo Hydro pt 4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/4	
370 Carnegie L & Z 10	10	10	
50 Fireproofing 9 3/4	9 3/4	9 3/4	
2,435 Guifey Gillespie 35	34 1/4	34 1/4	
49 H W Refrac. 118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2	
100 Ind Drawing 4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/4	
2,175 Marland Refin. 6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	
85 Mfrs L & H 62	61 1/2	61 1/2	
14,800 Mt Shasta 64	60	60	
360 Ohio Fuel Oil 33	31 1/2	31 1/2	
305 Ohio Fuel Sup. 52	51 1/2	51 1/2	
555 Oklahoma Gas 48 1/4	48	48	
145 Pitts Brew pfd 15 1/2	15	15	
60 Pitts Coal pfd 93	93	93	
16,500 P-J Copper 26	22	22	
3,525 Pitts O & G 124	16	16	
110 Un Nat Gas Cor 124	124	124	
43,479			

BONDS.			
\$ 250 Lib L 24 4s...	91 3/8	91 7/8	
50 Lib L 24 4 1/2s...	92 08	92 08	
2,150 Lib L 34 4 1/2s...	94 20	93 80	
1,050 Lib L 4th 4 1/2s...	92 44	92 10	
100 Victory L 4 1/2s...	99 64	99 04	

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Charter No. 10450. Reserve District No. 5.
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WORTHINGTON, IN THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOVEMBER 17TH, 1919.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts.....\$227,223.25

*Total loans	\$227,223.25	\$227,223.25
Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured, \$240.31		240.31
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds per value) \$30,000.00		
Owned and unpledged	9,878.33	
Total U. S. Government securities	39,878.33	
Other bonds, securities, etc.:		
Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks), owned and unpledged	35,885.00	35,885.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent. of subscription)	1,200.00	
Value of banking house, owned and unimproved	8,000.00	8,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,000.00	
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	13,798.33	
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	41,451.77	
Total of Items 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17	41,451.77	
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	1,137.73	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasury	4,500.00	
Total	\$371,814.75	

LIABILITIES.			
Capital stock paid	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00	
Surplus fund	10,000.00		
Undivided profits	11,730.93		
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	3,733.01	7,997.92	
Outstanding notes		30,000.00	
Deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):			
Individual deposits subject to check	102,279.51		
Dividends unpaid	15.00		
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39	102,294.51		
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):			
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	121,859.23		
Other time deposits	59,852.79		
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 40, 41, 42 and 43	181,712.02		
Total	\$371,814.75		

*Of the total loans and discounts shown above, the amount on which interest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those permitted by law (Sec. 5197, Rev. Stat.) (exclusive of notes upon which total charge not to exceed 50 cents was made) was none. The number of such loans was none.

I, A. J. McDANIEL, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. J. McDANIEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of November, 1919.

S. K. JACOBS, Notary Public.

(My Commission expires December 31, 1919.)

Correct-Attest:

M. C. COCHRAN, EVERAL MCINTIRE, J. D. VICTOR, Directors.

Grain and Produce

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Bullish sentiment prevailed in the corn market yesterday largely as a result of the reopening of a big food manufacturing establishment which had been closed by temporary shortage of coal. Prices finished strong at 1/4 to 1 1/2 net higher with December \$1.32 1/4@1.32 1/2 and May \$1.27 1/4@1.27 1/2. Oats gained 1/4 @ 1/2c. In provisions the outcome varied from 10c decline to a rise of 22c.

Articles.	Open.	Close.
Corn—		
December	\$1.32 1/4	\$1.32 1/2
January	1.26 1/4	1.27 1/2
May	1.26	1.27 1/2
Oats—		
December	.72	.72 1/2
May	.75 1/2	.76 1/2
Pork—		
January	34.00	
May	32.20	31.70

Oil and Gas.

The week failed to begin with any thing but ordinary wells. On Coburns Fork, Ten Mts district, Harrison county, South Penn Oil Company completed its No. 4 on the Leeman Maxwell farm, getting a fair gusher in the fifth sand. On Straight Fork, Duval district, Lincoln county, the same company has the rig completed for No. 9 on the Horse Creek tract one mile south of No. 7 on the same tract.

In Simpson district, Harrison county, Hope Natural Gas Company has completed a test on the John Stout farm. It is a gasser in the Gordon stratum. In Grant district, Ritchie county, Heinzelman & Co. have a gasser in the Squaw sand at a test on the J. M. Satterfield farm. In the same district, the Freedom Oil and Gas Company has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the Maxon sand at No. 6 on the Joseph Carlsie farm. In Clay district, H. L. Lambert & Co. have completed No. 5 on the G. M. Lambert farm. It is a gasser in the Maxon and Keener sands.

In Sheridan district, Calhoun county, the Great Elks Oil and Gas Company has completed No. 18 on the Samuel Bachman farm. It is good for 3 barrels a day in the salt sand. In Walker district, Wood county, Congdon & Co. No. 3 on the Elza Grant farm is a 3-barrel pumper in the second Cow Run sand.

The Barnsville Oil and Gas Company's test on the L. D. Shingleton farm in Salt Lick district, Braxton county, is a fair gasser in the Gordon sand. In Grant district, Wetzel county, the Pittsburgh and West Virginia Gas Company has a Gordon sand gasser in the J. P. Ashcraft farm. In Center district, the Carter Oil Company has put its test on the L. Palmer farm on pumping. In Dekalb district, Gilmer county, the Hope-Natural-Gas company has a gasser at its test on the Weason-Bennett farm.

In a number of the old districts test work is under way and starting. In Burning Springs district, Wirt county, the Cambria Oil Company is building a rig on the Newton Kemp farm. In Union district, Wood county, Parsons & Sweeney brothers have started to drill on the D. M. Henderson farm. In the same district, the Kentucky Oil Company has started a test on the Fred Roth farm.

In Ellsworth district, Tyler county, Harry Lambert is building a rig on the A. H. McGinnis farm. In Washington district, Jackson county, the Thomas Oil Company is building a rig on the S. and J. Casto farm. In the same lo-

cality the Center Oil Company has rig material on the A. B. Casto farm. Near Liverpool, Brady district, Boone county, the Heck Development Company has the rig completed on the D. Lemon farm, located 1,050 feet south-east of its wildcat producer on the A. J. Hess farm. In Big Sandy district, Kanawha county, Flint & Strother have completed and shot in the Well sand a test on the F. M. Young farm. It is not good for more than 10 barrels a day.

In Richhill township, Greene county, Pa., the Manufacturers Light & Heat Company has completed its test on the John Nichols farm. It is a gasser in the Gordon sand. In Morris township, the Carnegie Natural Gas Company has a gasser in the Big Injun sand at a test on the James Kuntz farm. In the Grafton district, Allegheny county, Plaisted & Company have completed a test on the W. J. Campbell farm. It is a light pumper. In the same district, the Roberts Oil Company's test on the John Ewing farm is a 5-barrel pumper in the Gordon sand. In the Ingonmar field, the South Penn Oil Company's No. 9 on the Walters heirs' farm is a 5-barrel pumper. In the same district, O. W. Carey & Co. are drilling on the Jacob Wiles farm. Mellon & Pollock have a rig up on the James Baughman farm.

At six months a baby walrus will eat 50 pounds of codfish a day.

SPECIAL NOTICES

IN THE MATTER OF THE "BRIDGE BONDS" FOR THE CITY OF FAIRMONT, WEST VIRGINIA.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors for the city of Fairmont, Marion county, West Virginia, held on the 22d day of September, 1919, an ordinance was adopted authorizing the issuance and sale of one hundred seventy-five thousand (\$175,000.00) dollars of bonds of said city known as "Bridge Bonds." By virtue of said ordinance the Mayor of said city on the 1st day of October, 1919, issued a proclamation for an election to be held in said city for the purpose of either ratifying or rejecting said ordinance, and in said proclamation set Tuesday, 14th day of October, 1919, as the date for the election to be held in said city for said purpose. The returns of said election held on that day show that ten hundred and sixty-four (1064) votes were cast for "ratification" and thirty-eight (38) votes were cast "against ratification," so that more than three-fifths (3-5) of the voters voting at said election voted in favor of the ratification of said ordinance.

The city of Fairmont has caused to be transmitted to me, duly certified copy of all orders, proclamations, notices, advertisements, affidavits and records of all its proceedings connected with or pertaining to said bond issue. I have examined the same and it is my opinion that said bond issue is regular, and all proceedings in compliance with the statute. I, therefore, approve the validity of said bonds, as provided by chapter 57 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1917.

(Signed) E. T. ENGLAND,
Attorney General, State of West Virginia.
Charleston, West Va., November 13, 1919. 11-13-25

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